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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

VIA EFS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2010 and the Advisory Action mailed August 23, 2010, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks, along with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). These amendments and remarks supplement and replace the amendments and remarks submitted on August 7, 2010, which can be disregarded. Although Applicant does not believe that any additional extensions of time or fees are needed to allow consideration of this response, Applicant petitions for any omitted extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and Applicant authorizes charging any omitted fees or crediting any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-5029.

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